

# News Notes and Gossip of the Day In the Smart Set of Washington

Items of Interest and Importance of Past, Present, and Future Among Official and Fashionable Folk.

Mrs. John Hays Hammond was hostess at a beautifully appointed luncheon today in the cabinet room of the White House, in compliment to Lady Aberdeen. There were about fifty guests, distinguished women prominent in society in the world of philanthropy and in the work for the betterment of conditions for women.

Brig Gen. and Mrs. Albert L. Mills will give a dinner this evening in honor of the Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Lansing. Owing to a return of the attack of grip from which she has been suffering, Mrs. Lansing will be unable to be present. Covers will be laid for twenty. The table will have a centerpiece of pink roses and feathery white blossoms in a silver bowl, with crystal shaded tapers in silver candlesticks and slim crystal vases, to complete the decorations. Pink and white roses will be used throughout the room.

Mrs. Mills will give a luncheon on Saturday for Mrs. George W. Baxter, of Tennessee, and on Friday, January 21, will entertain fifty guests at luncheon in compliment to Mrs. Josephus Daniels and Mrs. David Franklin Houston.

Mrs. Elisabeth Palmer Bradford and her daughter, Miss Virginia Bradford, of Pontiac, Mich., who were guests of Capt. and Mrs. Theodore A. Baldwin, left Washington yesterday.

Mrs. William Saxley, wife of the naval attaché at the American embassy in Paris, will come to Washington Sunday to be the guest of Captain and Mrs. Baldwin. Mrs. Baldwin will give a luncheon Tuesday afternoon in her honor.

Col. and Mrs. Charles Treat will entertain at dinner the evening of January 20 in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell Grant, of New York.

Mrs. John A. Logan and her daughter, Mrs. Tucker, will be at home this afternoon. Mrs. Tucker's cousin, Mrs. C. F. B. Price, wife of Lieutenant Price, U. S. M. C., will receive with them.

Mrs. Robert E. Boyd, of New York, will come to Washington Monday to visit Mrs. Tucker.

Mrs. Francis Howe Johnson will be at home this afternoon and again on the afternoon of January 20 and 27. Mrs. Joseph Worthington and Mrs. Frank Moss will preside at the table this afternoon.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Robert Lansing were the guests of honor at a dinner given last night by Congressman and Mrs. J. Willard Ragsdale, at Calumet place. The guests to meet the Secretary and Mrs. Lansing were the Assistant Secretary of War and Mrs. Breckinridge, Congressman and Mrs. Henry D. Flood, Congressman and Mrs. James R. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McComb, Mrs. Moran, Miss Ragsdale, Surgeon General and Brig. Gen. E. H. Crowder.

An informal dance for which there were additional guests followed the dinner, which Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale have recently leased, an enthusiastic housewarming. The guests who were present included Congressman and Mrs. Fred Britten, the Solicitor of the State Department and Mrs. Cone Johnson, Congressman and Mrs. Bennett Clark and Hannis Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragsdale will entertain at a dinner February 3 in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall.

The Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. William Gibbs McAdoo will be hosts at dinner this evening at their residence in K Street. There will be fourteen guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn will have as their guests next week Mrs. Robert C. Kershner and Mrs. William H. Dunn, of Rochester, N. Y.

Mrs. Dunn has issued invitations for a luncheon on Monday.

Col. and Mrs. Richmond P. Davis will be hosts at dinner at the Army and Navy Club this evening.

Capt. and Mrs. George E. Clark and Miss Louise Clark will also be among those giving dinners at the club. There will be a card party invited to meet Miss Harmon Bailey.

Mrs. E. Ward Denys and the Misses Denys will receive this afternoon. Mrs. George E. Clark and Miss Mary Wheeler Vest will assist them.

Rear Admiral and Mrs. H. T. B. Harris have cards out for a tea Friday afternoon, January 23.

Mrs. Victor Kauffmann will entertain at bridge Thursday afternoon, January 27.

Capt. and Mrs. John Guest will entertain at tea Sunday afternoon at their apartment in the Northumberland.

Mrs. Hugh Wallace and her niece, Miss Sallie Beecher, will be at home this afternoon. Mrs. Wallace's sister, Mrs. Nathaniel L. Francis, of Brookline, Mass., will preside at the tea table.

Congressman and Mrs. William Elza Williams, of Illinois, have taken an apartment at the Burlington for the winter. Their daughter, Mrs. Irving Wheeler, is with them for the season.

Mrs. E. Rollins Morse will receive informally this afternoon.

Mrs. David S. Hendrick and Miss Lillian Hendrick will be at home tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 6:30 o'clock.



PHOTO BY BUCK. MADAME ZALDIVAR, Wife of Dr. Don Rafael Zaldivar, minister of Salvador.

In the months she has spent in Washington Madame Zaldivar has gathered a pleasant coterie of friends about her. She made her first appearance at a White House function at the recent reception in honor of the delegates to the Pan-American Scientific Congress and entertained many of the Pan-American visitors at the legation. Madame Zaldivar is an English woman, much younger than her husband, and is his second wife. Dr. Zaldivar is the son of a former President of Salvador.

Miss Helen Cannon and her niece, Miss Virginia LeSeure, entertained at a tea yesterday at their residence in N. Street from 4 till 7 o'clock. The tea was planned for Mr. and Mrs. LeSeure, who have been detained at their home at Danville, and will not reach here until the end of the week. Mrs. LeSeure assisted Miss Cannon and Miss Phelps, who were the guests of honor. The other guests were Senator and Mrs. John K. Shields, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Westcott, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noves, of Chicago, who will come to Washington Sunday.

Mrs. Jordon Crawford, who was the guest of Capt. Seth Williams, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Williams, left Washington this morning for New York. Mrs. Williams is one of the popular young hostesses of Berkeley and San Francisco. While in Washington she was extensively entertained. She

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Daniel S. Gurnea, of New York, will be guests of the Assistant Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Jones at their home in Twentieth Street. The other guests were Senator Pittman, Miss Agnes Hart Wilson, Assistant Attorney General and Mrs. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Folk, Assistant Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. B. O. Sweeney, Mr. James E. Hurley and J. H. Paxton, of New Mexico.

Mrs. James L. Pugh and Miss Gladys Pugh, wife and daughter of Judge Pugh, will be at home Thursday from 3 to 6 o'clock. They will be assisted by Mrs. Pugh's mother, Mrs. William H. Snowden, of Allentown, Pa.; Mrs. Edward Pugh, of Chevy Chase; Miss Nell Allen, of Los Angeles, Cal.; and Mrs. Devereaux Lipitt, of Bremen, Germany.

Miss Ida Hill Bowls has sent out cards for a tea on Thursday afternoon, January 6, at 2 o'clock, at the Club of Colonial Dames, in compliment to Miss Mackall and Mrs. Bibbs Parker.

Mrs. Louis A. Bauer and Miss Bauer will not be at home on Saturday afternoon of this week, but will receive on the remaining first and third Saturdays of the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordon Crawford, whose name appeared by error in the list of those giving dinners at the Chevy Chase Club last evening, are not entertaining nor accepting invitations as they are in deep mourning.

Mrs. John W. Hendrick has been obliged to cancel all her social engagements on account of a severe attack of grip, from which she has been suffering for a month.

Mrs. Henry A. Wiley and Miss Wiley will be at home this afternoon and will have as their guests the Club of Colonial Dames, in compliment to Miss Mackall and Mrs. Bibbs Parker.

The members of the Congressional Club will be at home tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. John D. Works and Miss Agnes Wilson will preside at the tea table, and others who will assist will be Mrs. Edwin S. Underhill, Mrs. Oscar Underwood, Mrs. Josiah A. Van Orsdel, Mrs. Henry Vollmer, Mrs. Andrew J.

"Vaporize" Croup or Cold Troubles

Vapor treatments for cold troubles are better than internal medicines, as the vapors carry the medication direct to the lungs and air passages without disturbing the stomach.

When Vick's "Vapo-Rub" Salve is applied over the throat and chest these vapors, released by the heat of the body, are inhaled with each breath.

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Many Entertainments Are Planned by the Leaders of Society in Washington. Gossip of Hostesses.

will visit Captain and Mrs. Williams again early in March, en route South.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Layman, who are guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsdell, at the Wyndale, will return to their home in Indianapolis on Saturday.

Mrs. Nanette B. Paul was hostess at a reception last evening at the Paul Institute, in S. Street. The decorations were unusually attractive, consisting in the drawing room of pink begonias, ferns, and clusters of orchids. Palm and quantities of pink roses predominated in the assembly hall and library, and in the drawing room, in the dining room. A string orchestra furnished music during the evening. The guests were received by Mrs. Paul, president of the institute, assisted by the principal, Mrs. Hamill, and the two seniors, Miss Ethel Weller and Miss Marcelle Yelting, in the drawing room, and passed on to the assembly hall and library, where they were received by the faculty and students of the institute. The introductions were made by Miss Gertrude Barnes and Miss Ruth Bissell.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Goelet Gerry have made reservations at the Breakers, in Palm Beach, for part of the season.

Mrs. Timothy T. Ansberry will entertain at a tea dance this afternoon at the Shoreham, in compliment to her house guest, Miss Helen Cox, daughter of former Gov. James M. Cox, of Ohio.

Mrs. Joseph Carey Johnson has cards out for a tea at the Grafton, Tuesday afternoon, January 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Sweeney will entertain at dinner Wednesday evening, January 19, taking their guests later to the dance which Mrs. Armstrong Jarvis will give for her brother, H. H. Armstrong, of New York.

Mrs. Sweeney will be hostess at a reception the afternoon of January 22.

Mrs. Henry Cleveland Perkins will entertain at a bridge party Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Sherman McCallum will entertain at a tea Monday afternoon. The honor guest will be Mrs. George Pope, of San Francisco.

Mrs. Lloyd W. Bowers will entertain at dinner Sunday night for Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Noves, of Chicago.

Capt. and Mrs. Mark Bristol will be hosts at a bridge party of four tables tonight.

Herbert Parsons, former Congressman from New York, arrived in Washington yesterday and is at the Willard. He is accompanied by William P. Sheffield, of Newport.

Mrs. St. George Barber, of Annapolis, is at the Willard for a short stay, and Mrs. Louis Hertle, who came up from Gunston Hall, their place on the Potomac, for a few days, are also registered at the hotel.

Miss Sarah Radford, Preston, of Roanoke, Va., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Mary Radford, at her home in Georgetown. Miss Preston is secretary to Archbishop Frederick V. Neve, of Ivy Depot, Va., who has supervision over forty missions in the State. She is lecturing in Washington.

Mrs. Edson Bradley has cards out for a luncheon on Saturday, January 29.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Wilkins will give a dinner on February 3.

The Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Lane and Mrs. William Corcoran Rustis received the guests at the Home Club last night, where a delightful program, beginning shortly after 8 o'clock, was given. Mrs. Howe Corcoran, niece of the President and a guest at the White House, sang, taking the place on the program of her cousin, Miss Margaret Wilson. Myron Whitcomb, Nicholas Longworth gave a number of violin selections. Miss Fox and Mr. Woodward also had a place on the program. The evening was an interesting talk on the work of the visiting nurses.

KEEPS KIDNEYS ACTIVE WITH A GLASS OF SALTS

Must flush your Kidneys occasionally if you eat meat regularly.

Noted authority tells what causes Backache and Bladder weakness.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid, which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headache, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days, and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Advt.

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We offer for Friday 60 dozen pairs Men's Black Cotton Socks from one of the best makers at exactly half the regular price. They have gray soles, double to increase wear and comfort, and triple woven heels and toes, which makes them as enduring as any hose. These hose are known to the trade as "seconds," because they are subject to slight imperfections, which consist mostly of dropped threads, and are of no consequence whatever in looks or wear. Those men who have patronized these sales in the past know what serviceable hose are offered.

Sizes 9½ to 11½. Special price, 6 pairs for 75c. If Perfect the Price Would Be 25c Pair.

Also 15 dozen Men's Fancy Silk Four-in-hand Ties, ends of 35c and 50c lines, reduced to 3 for 50c. Main floor, 8th st.

Men's Clothing Department

18 Men's Suits in neat, fancy effects; also plain grays in medium and dark shades; blue with pencil stripes of various widths; Hart Schaffner & Marx and other good makes; all high-grade, perfect fitting garments. Sizes 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44 regulars; 40, 42, 46, and 48 stouts.

\$23.75 each. Were \$30 and \$35.

15 Men's Overcoats in the better makes, some full silk lined and others yoke lined; loose and form fitting styles; sizes 36, 38 and 40. There are plain oxford gray, mixtures, plain black and brown.

\$23.75 each. Were \$30 and \$35.

Main floor, 10th st.

Friday Specials In Women's Aprons and Undermuslins

Bungalow Dresses or Aprons, made in several practical and good looking styles and materials; blue and gray checks and stripes of various patterns.

Special price, 50c each.

A special lot of Masonville Muslin and Berkeley Cambric Gowns, high neck and long sleeves, with yoke of fine tucks, finished with narrow ruffles.

Special price, 50c each.

A lot of Women's Petticoats of pique and crepe, with ruffles or plain hem, or with heavy scalloping.

Special price, 50c each.

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Former Prices . . . \$1.00 to \$6.50 a Yard  
Sale Prices . . . 29c to \$1.39 a Yard

This is the most remarkable value-giving event our Trimming Dept. has ever known. These Furs are from 1 inch to 4 inches wide, and you may choose from Coney, Mink, Kit Fox, Gray Fox, Skunk, etc., at about ¼ of their original value. At these prices it will pay you to anticipate your needs for next season.  
8th St. Annex—Trimming Dept.

Our Great January Clearance Sale of Women's & Misses' Ready-to-Wear Apparel  
Continues to Draw Crowds of Eager Purchasers

Thousands of dollars' worth to be disposed of regardless of cost or profit. Be here tomorrow morning at store opening to take advantage of the following extraordinary values:

Women's and Misses' Dresses For Street, Afternoon and Evening Wear

Dresses Worth to \$20	Dresses Worth to \$40	Dresses Worth to \$60
\$7.50	\$15.00	\$22.50

Children's Raincoats, with hat and school bag, in sizes 6 to 14. Colors are tan, red, and navy blue. Values to \$3.50. Choice \$1.99

Children's Rain Capes, in blue and red with silk-lined hood. Sizes 12 and 14 years. Values up to \$1.50. Choice 99c

Women's Raincoats, in tan, blue and black. Sizes 24 to 46. Values up to \$6.00. Very special at \$3.66

Women's Dress Skirts: choice of plaid and fancy mixtures in all the season's newest models. Values up to \$10.00. Special \$3.85

Suit Section—2d Floor—Lansburgh & Bro

Wash Goods Remnants Values up to 20c Yard

At 7½c

Values up to 50c Yard At 12½c

Thousands of yards of the season's most desirable White Goods—Colored Wash Goods—Gingham and Flannels, in waist and dress lengths. Practically every weave and color is included. Widths from 27 to 46 inches. Be here early for first choice.  
Eighth Street Annex—Wash Goods

Clearance Sale of Silk Remnants Values up to 59c

15c a Yard

Values up to \$1.25 39c a Yard

Thousands of yards of all-pure silk fabrics, in nearly every weave and color; all good lengths, suitable for any purpose. An unusual opportunity to supply your needs for months to come at extraordinary savings.  
Silk Dept.—Eighth St. Annex.

January Clearance Sale of Upholstery Goods

PRINTED AND INLAID LINOLEUMS

75c Grade	\$1.00 Grade	\$1.10 Grade
50c Sq. Yd.	75c Sq. Yd.	79c Sq. Yd.

150 Hours Femme and Panel Curtains, beautiful patterns; worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50 each, at 74c

Our Entire Stock of Lace Window Panels At One-Half Price

Scrim Dutch Curtains Regular \$1.50 Values At 79c

Dutch Scrim Curtains, with or without edge, and insertion valance in center, in white or Arabian color. Upholstery Dept.—4th Floor.

Friday Limit Specials

Washington's Favorite Friday Sale. Quantities limited to prevent dealers buying. No mail, phone, or C. O. D. orders filled.

50c Sash Linon	33c	25c Hat Pins, a pair	15c	25c Corset Covers	17c
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30-inch Tambour and Irish Point Sash, and Vestibule Laces; slightly soiled. Limit, 6 yards to a buyer. Fourth Floor.

15c Indian Linon 10c 30-inch White India Linon; fine, sheer quality for women's and children's wear. Limit, 10 yards to a buyer. Eighth St. Annex.

14c Black Satteen 12½c 30-inch Fast Black Satteen; nicely finished; fine quality for dresses, bloomers, etc. Limit, 10 yards to a buyer. Eighth St. Annex.

Hibboun Remnants, At 2c, 5c, 15c Yard. Thousands of yards—comprising our entire stock of Hibboun remnants; all good lengths; all colors; all kinds. Limit, 10 lengths to a buyer. Main Floor.

15c Shaker Flannel 10c 30-inch White Shaker Flannel; good, heavy weight and soft. wool-like texture. Limit, 10 yards to a buyer. Eighth St. Annex.

Handkerchiefs, Half Price and Less. Mussed and Soiled All- linen Handkerchiefs; plain or embroidered corner, or initials; a few men's all-silk initial; worth from 5c to \$1 each. At 2c to 50c each. Limit, 2 to a buyer. Main Floor.

Women's 35c Hose 19c Women's Gauze Cotton and Silk Lisle Hose; full fashioned and reinforced in black or white; slightly imperfect. Limit, 2 pairs to a buyer. Main Floor.

15c Talcum Powder 11c Men's Borated Talcum Powder; the regular 8-ounce can. Limit, 2 to a buyer. Main Floor.

50c Bungalow Aprons 36c Bungalow Aprons, made of good quality material; in buttoned-back model. Limit, 2 to a buyer. Third Floor.

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